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For: METHODS OF IDENTIFYING AGENTS WHICH ENHANCE CASPASE ACTIVITY (As Amended)

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Docket No.: 1062.1018-001(DFCI-522A)
Applicants: Ellis Reinherz, Linda Clayton, Timothy D. Ocain and
Raymond J. Patch
Application No.: 08/948,124 Filed: October 9, 1997
Title: Methods of Identifying Agents Which Enhance Caspase
Activity (As Amended)

Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned application are the
following:

1. Inventorship Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.48(b); and
2. Petition for Correction of Inventorship, with copy, with check
for the Petition fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.48(b) and 1.17(i)
in the amount of \$ 130.00.

Respectfully submitted,

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INVENTORSHIP AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(b)

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend the inventorship in the above-captioned application to delete the previously named inventors, Timothy D. Ocain and Raymond J. Patch.

With such amendment, the application would have joint inventorship in the names of Ellis Reinherz and Linda Clayton.

Respectfully submitted,

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PETITION FOR CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(b)

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants request that the inventorship in the above-captioned application be corrected to delete the previously named inventors, Timothy D. Ocain and Raymond J. Patch, as indicated in the Inventorship Amendment filed concurrently herewith. With such amendment, the application would have joint inventorship in the names of Ellis Reinherz and Linda Clayton.


The deletion of Timothy D. Ocain and Raymond J. Patch as co-inventors is the result of the amendment to the claims filed on February 28, 2000.

A check for the Petition fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) in the amount of \$130.00 is enclosed. Please charge any additional fees which may be due in this matter to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 08-0380. A copy of this letter is enclosed for accounting purposes.

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